## **Spelling list: Tier 2 Words (distinction - dynamic)**

Tier 2 words are less common than high frequency (Tier 1) words. They are often integral to the comprehension of exam questions or core subject knowledge.

distinction A **distinction** is something that makes two things different.

distorted If something is **distorted**, it means it is blurred or pulled out of shape.

distribute If you **distribute** something, it means you give it out to people.

distribution **Distribution** is the act of giving things out to people.

diverse means many and different.

**Diversity** is the practice of including people from many different

backgrounds.

document A **document** is a written account that provides information.

domain A **domain** is territory over which rule or control is exercised.

domestic **Domestic** means relating to the home.

dominant If something is **dominant**, it means it exercises influence or control.

dominate If you **dominate**, it means you have power, influence, or control.

draft A draft is a preliminary version of a design or piece of writing.

If something is **dramatic**, it means it is sensational in appearance or thrilling

in effect.

duration **Duration** is the period of time during which something continues.

If something is **dynamic**, it means it is characterised by action or dynamic

forcefulness or force of personality.

diversity

dramatic